

**LAST CANE CAR  
OUT THIS WEEK**  
MILL LIQUEURS

Harvest Ends In Canal Point  
Division of Southern  
Sugar Company

1,500 CUTTERS HAVE  
A BIG CELEBRATION

No Men Laid Off, Laborers  
and Foremen Transferred

**To Hoing Crews**

Cutting of cane on the Southern Sugar Company's plantations was finished for the season Tuesday at Canal Point and the last car was loaded and rolled about midnight, an effigy being mounted on the car in Cuban style, to indicate to the mill operatives that no more cars were to follow. The effigy carried a cane knife and bore an inscription in Spanish, thus introducing in Florida a custom that links the state's new industry with the industry in Cuba.

The company's sugar mill at Clewiston will shut down in a few days. The first season's

the mill is known as "liquifying," another term peculiar to the sugar industry and meaning that the taste of the cane juice is being cleaned out.

Celebrating the end of the cane cutting season the 1,500 negro laborers had a barbecue at the Cane Point mill Wednesday afternoon, when 1,400 pounds of beef and several "muck hogs" were consumed and the company's colored baseball team played the colored team from Port Kaituma. Although the cane cutting season has ended no employees are being laid off. All of the cane cutters will be transferred to hoisting crews and the white men who have been employed for six years and in other capacities will be reassigned as foremen and timekeepers.

**Drainage Officials**

## Drainage Officials Met At Tallahassee

A meeting was held at Tallahassee Tuesday by the five state officials who constitute one-half of the board of commissioners of Everglades drainage district and after the meeting it was said the regular monthly meeting of the board, including the five members resident in the district, would be held June 6 at West Palm Beach.

The dispatch from Tallahassee stated that the five members of the board of the canal did not say what business was transacted but it called attention to a dispatch that all the members be present at the session in West Palm Beach.

## COMPARISONS

Lake Okeechobee being at elevation 154 (above sea level) Wed-

day, it is one and four-fifths  
feet higher than it was on May  
1929 and is two and a half  
feet higher than it was at a sim-  
ilar date in 1928.

The lake elevation May 26, 1929,  
was 13.6 feet, and on May 30,  
1928, it was 12.9. Rainfall at Canal  
Station to the end of May 1929  
was 9 inches and to the end of  
May 1927 the rainfall at Canal  
Station was 7.12 inches.

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## GLADES WEATHER

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Everglades Experiment Station  
Temp. Dir. Rain. Evapo-  
rate, Max Min Wind Fall rate

|            | High | Low        | Rain |
|------------|------|------------|------|
| 95         | 72   | 0.00       |      |
| 96         | 69   | 0.00       |      |
| 96         | 67   | 0.00       |      |
| 95         | 68   | 0.00       |      |
| 94         | 69   | 0.00       |      |
| 93         | 71   | 2.85       |      |
| 95         | 69   | 0.00       |      |
| Average 94 | 69   | Total 2.85 |      |

Total rainfall since January 1,







## Around The Lake

Three hundred baby chicks were lost when the brooder in Frank Bradley's garage at Okeechobee exploded.

T. J. Werks has given up the management of the Moore Haven hotel and returned to Houston, Texas, their former home.

Candidates in the Democratic primary will speak at a big meeting in Okeechobee, city park this Saturday night.

The delinquent tax sale for Glades county will be held July 7. List of the state and county taxes and Everglades taxes will be printed in the Moore Haven Democrat in the four issues in June.

## STATE SUES ON MORTGAGE

A suit to enforce a mortgage lien held by the state on five sections of land in Dade county was filed in federal court Friday by Gov. Doyle E. Carlton, Ervin Amos, state comptroller; M. V. Knott, state treasurer; Fred H. Davis, attorney general, and Nathan Mayo, commissioner of agriculture, all of whom are trustees of the internal improvement fund.

The action was brought against James C. Flannery, Richard M. Stengel, Amelia Corp., Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Tobin, Southern Bank & Trust Co., and the United States. Basis of the action is a mortgage deed held by the trustees for \$135,000.

## SOUTH BAY

May 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Nance have left South Bay on their summer vacation. They were undressed at their exact plans, but will be in the Palm Beach for a time.

Mr. Nance is contemplating a summer course at the State University.

The Garden Club will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday, May 28 at the school house.

A talk on the diseases of roses, probably will be the feature.

Everyone interested in flowers and gardens is cordially invited.

W. C. Allen and family left Monday evening by motor for Buchanan, Georgia, where they will spend two weeks vacation at the home of Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Niles.

Miss Esther Fisher and her brother expect to leave for Home stead early this week where they will visit for a time. They will be accompanied as far as Miami by Mrs. J. M. Templeton, who will visit her son, J. V. Gist of the Federal Insurance Board and other friends.

The South Bay schools have received the consignment of books amounting to fifty or seventy-five volumes donated by the Junior Red Cross from Mrs. Schaffer, Washington, D. C. These books include a set of encyclopedias of the latest loose leaf type, which are a very valuable addition to the school library.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Forbes left Saturday evening for Valdosta, Ga., where they will visit relatives and en route to Mrs. Forbes' old home in Leesville, Kansas.

A colored shipper paid a visit to V. C. Denton's store one day last week and made away with a suit dress. Deputy Sheriff R. G. Fisher was immediately summoned and apprehended the woman with the stolen goods upon her person within two hours after the theft she was lodged in jail.

Mrs. Amelia Franz and daughter Emma have gone to Felda, where they expect to spend the summer visiting Mrs. Franz' mother.

Mrs. W. C. Allen of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion started off early Saturday morning with fifty poppies for sale for the benefit of crippled soldiers. She went over the top early, selling all her poppies, and returning for more. During the day she took in \$17.58. Mrs. Alston and Mrs. Willie had a poppy sale in charge at Belle Glade, each having seventy-five poppies. The three ladies realized \$58.62 from the poppies in South Bay and Belle Glade for their part of the sale.

Frank Augustine, who has been farming on Ritta Island during the winter, has returned to South Bay after a successful season. He was unfortunate enough to be confined to his room for some two months with rheumatism, but finally secured relief from medicine sent from Chicago by his daughter-in-law.

W. L. C. Denton made a business trip to West Palm Beach last Friday.

R. D. Hawkins has charge of the finishing of the Dan Muthier home. The interior is being finished with sheet rock and the work is now nearing completion.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Templeton are very busy the last few days moving from their garage apartment into their home which was recently vacated by the Napes who have left for their summer vacation.

W. L. Adams is building a two-story house on his property between South Bay and Okeechobee.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, formerly of Chosen, have taken up their residence at their new home which they purchased during the winter from Mrs. O. V. Elliot.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferman Denton accompanied by Mrs. R. G. Fisher made a trip to West Palm Beach on Tuesday on a shopping tour.

Miss Delia Hawkins expects to take up a beauty course at one of the beauty parlors in West Palm Beach within a very short time.

Mr. Moory, manager of the Seminole Farm, accompanied by his wife and child made a business call in South Bay on Monday en route to West Palm Beach on a shopping tour.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Shaw who have been packing tomatoes, peppers and eggplants on Ritta Island have finished and departed for Coconut Grove where they have secured similar employment.

G. J. Barstow accompanied by his daughters, Ruth and Geraldine, made a business trip to Miami on Tuesday.

Now that the tomato season has closed the L. Massey Inc., packing house at Lake Harbor has been closed for the year and the manager, G. C. Guthrie, has returned to Frostproof.

Community Church

Morning worship 10 a. m., Rev. J. H. Hoch, pastor.

Sunday school 11 a. m., L. J. Owen, superintendent.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m., Friday, Meade Willis, president.

Ladies' Aid Tuesday, June 3, at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. P. E. Goodbread.

STORM SEASON COMING.

PREPARING FOR IT

City Manager Page of Moore Haven has ordered lumber with which to brace the power house and the commissioners are to meet at the plant and decide how to make the building secure against any storm that may come.

GOVERNMENT CLAIM

Thomas D. Boyett of Tasmania is proving up on a homestead entry on government land in Glades county. The claim is 80 acres near Tamsina post office.

## RAIN IN THE GLADES

By Gilbert Roe.

The cypress stands in the wind. The herons cease to fly. And thunderheads of sullen hue. Are flung across the sky.

Once level swamp, a restless sea Of sargass yellow-green. Is troubled with a mighty surge. Moved by some hand unseen.

Then come the javalins of the storm. The stinging darts of rain! A moment! Then the curtain vast Reveals the sun again!

Mrs. Mayme Boring Lamb of Okeechobee died at a hospital in Fort Pierce shortly after the birth of a son. Before her marriage she was a teacher in the Okeechobee school. The burial was at Fort Myers.

NOTICE

I hereby announce myself as a candidate, for a second term, for the office of county commissioner from the fifth district (Everglades) subject to the Democratic Primary June 3rd, 1930.

WILLARD G. SMITH,  
529 Fabrick, Florida.

WHY EXPERIMENT?

You, good people of the Glades, know that during my term in office as

CLERK OF CRIMINAL COURT

you have received courteous, honest, efficient and fair treatment. What more could you expect or desire?

In your own business you would employ the one most qualified, one whom you know through past performance. Why then, in selecting your public servant, be influenced by relationship, friendship, politics or prejudice?

Vote for ELMORE COHEN

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## ABOUT PEOPLE

Glenn B. Skipper, the Republican national committeeman, was a visitor to Okeechobee recently.

Mrs. and Mrs. William Griffin of Okeechobee are taking a vacation at Daytona Beach, Stafford Caldwell in their guest.

Richard Stalls of Venus and Miss Arlen Mullins of Dade City were married at Moore Haven and will live at Venus. He is the son of Henry Stalls.

I. E. Scott, tax assessor of Glades County, has returned to his home in Moore Haven after staying a week at Marianna, where his mother, Mrs. John Scott, was injured in an accident.

E. J. Hess, formerly of Kansas City, Mo., who bought a section of land near 20-Mile Bend eight or nine years ago and started Company Farms, is now in the payansa business at Miami. He controls 2,500 trees at Vero and Lantana and has the fruit made into marmalade and other forms as well as selling it fresh. His brother Harry still lives at Okeechobee and is in Canal Point last week, accompanied by Charles Branch, a candidate for school board member. Anyone in the Everglades who wants a market for papayas should write to E. J. Hess at Miami.

Fred A. Flanders of Moore Haven, assistant drainage engineer of Everglades district, and R. A. Richardson of Tallahassee, field agent for the U. S. Fish and Game Commission, passed through Canal Point Wednesday morning. They had come from Moore Haven by way of South Bay and were on their way to the Fort Basseger district to look at a piece of government land that the trustees of the L. I. Fund want under the swamp land act.

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Photograph taken close of World War in uniform of U. S. Naval Officer.

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der five governors. Long experience in public life.

I am opposed to the excessive automobile license and other iniquitous and absurd tax measures that have been imposed upon the people of the State of Florida through the influence of Governor Carlton. I am opposed to his policies and if he has ever proposed anything beneficial to the State I am not aware of it. If he should make such a proposition, I will be glad to support it, but I have my serious doubts about his ever doing so.

Your vote and support is respectfully solicited.

(Paid Advertisement.)

T. R. HODGES

Anti-Carlton Candidate for Secretary of State

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I WISH TO EXPRESS MY SINCERE APPRECIATION AND THANKS:

1. To those people of the Everglades who chose me as their candidate and those who have given their most generous support to my campaign.
2. To the people throughout Palm Beach County who have so kindly and faithfully worked in my behalf.
3. For the continued support of all.

ELVIN A. BASS

Candidate for member HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Group Two

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, JUNE 3

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Candidate For REPRESENTATIVE

Group 2

PALM BEACH COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

SOLICITS YOUR SUPPORT ON HIS QUALIFICATIONS

WILL APPRECIATE YOUR VOTE

QUALIFICATIONS

Native Floridian; Graduate of University of Florida; Served in World War in France; Bill Secretary Florida Senate, 1919, 1921, 1923; Practiced Law, Palm Beach County past seven years; Served on City Council, Delray; Served as City Attorney, Delray for four years; Past Post Commander Delray American Legion; Past Degree Mason; Member of the Democratic County Executive Committee; Active in Athletics; Member of Boy Scout Committee; Chairman of the Red Cross Committee; Delray; Member of the Kiwanis Club; Truck and Nursery Grower; Owner of Real Estate, Palm Beach County.

PLATFORM

(1) Belief of unjust taxes on real estate; (2) Legislation to put schools on equal basis; (3) Proper distribution of all taxes collected by state; (4) Negative or affirmative referendum on local legislation; (5) Opposed to county division.

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MIZELL G. PLATT

Candidate

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JUNE 3, 1930

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